

## Message Text

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TAGS: PFOR, HU, US, CG  
SUBJECT: HUNGARIAN MEDIA ON ZAIRE EVENTS

1. EVERY SINCE INCURSION OF FORMER KATANGESE GENDARMES INTO  
ZAIRE BUT PARTICULARLY AFTER FRENCH AIRLIFT OF MOROCCANS,

HUNGARIAN NEWSPAPERS AND OTHER MEDIA HAVE BEEN GIVING  
PROMINENT ATTENTION TO SITUATION IN ZAIRE.

2. PARTY ORGAN NEPSZABADSAG AND OTHER MAJOR JOURNALS HAVE  
GIVEN STORY UNUSUAL ATTENTION WITH ARTICLES FREQUENTLY  
APPEARING ON FRONT PAGE. COVERAGE HAS SO FAR BEEN NON-  
POLEMICAL BUT CLEARLY PUTS U.S. ALONG WITH FRENCH IN SAME  
BAG AS INSTIGATORS OF PRO-ZAIRE INTERVENTIONS. LATEST  
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FRONT PAGE ARTICLE IN NEPSZABADSAG, FOR EXAMPLE, CONTAINS  
LENGTHY SUMMARY OF U.S. MILITARY AND FINANCIAL AID TO  
ZAIRE GOVERNMENT.

3. OTHER ARTICLES AND STATEMENT OF HUNGARIAN NATIONAL  
PEACE COUNCIL LAST WEEK HAVE DENOUNCED FOREIGN  
(I.E. WESTERN) INTERFERENCE IN INTERNAL AFFAIRS OF ZAIRE,

UNTRUTHFULNESS OF ALLEGATIONS AGAINST CUBANS, ANGOLANS  
AND SOVIET UNION, AND HAVE DALLED FOR "IMPERIALISTS"  
TO LET PEOPLE OF ZAIRE RESOLVE PROBLEM THEMSELVES.  
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